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RETRACTABLE STRUT ALIGNED IN A BASE  
PLANE AND AN EXTENSION STRUT PROTRUDING  
ACUTELY FROM THE BASE PLANE

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